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In re Application of

Gadek et al.

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Transmittal

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office communication mailed 24 February 2006 enclosed are the following documents:

- Reply and Amendment Under 37 C.F.R.§1.111
- 2. Postcard

Respectfully submitted,

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REPLY AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This document is responsive to the Office communication mailed 24 February 2006 for which a three-month period for response was given. This request is timely filed. In view of the discussion provided, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees which may be required, including extension fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-0630.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.